AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HER DESIGNEE TO INSTALL A SIGNALIZED PEDESTRIAN CROSSWALK IN FRONT OF THE SANTA FE VILLA SINGLE RESIDENCE OCCUPANCY APARTMENTS ON METROPOLITAN PARKWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, there is significant vehicular traffic traveling on Metropolitan Parkway in front of the Santa Fe Villa Single Residence Occupancy Apartments; and

WHEREAS, there is a MARTA bus stop across the street from the Santa Fe Villa Single Residence Occupancy Apartments; and

WHEREAS, due to the high volume and the speed of traffic that travels along Metropolitan Parkway it is extremely difficult for pedestrians to cross the street and get from the MARTA bus stop to Santa Fe Villa and visa versa; and

WHEREAS, a number of pedestrian traffic injuries and fatalities have occurred recently along the Metropolitan Parkway in front of the Santa Fe Villa; and

WHEREAS, residents of the neighborhood surrounding and along Metropolitan Parkway have expressed their concern for this situation and the need for a Signalized Crosswalk at the Santa Fe Villa; and

WHEREAS, the installation of a Signalized Pedestrian Crosswalk will reduce the number of pedestrian injuries and fatalities in front of the Santa Fe Villa.

NOW, THERFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA as follows;

Section 1: that the Mayor or her designee is hereby authorized to install a Signalized Pedestrian Crosswalk in front of the Santa Fe Villa Single Residence Occupancy Apartments on Metropolitan Parkway.

Section 2: that all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.